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C. H. WOODARD,

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Administrator of Estate of Wm. Quivey, dec'd.

Portland, Or., Dec. 8, 1870. d14dtf

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"	10:10 A.M.	"	6:00 P.M.

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Portland, July 8, 1870. jy9dtf

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ja13d2w ISAAC BARMAN.

WAR MISCELLANY.

With the beginning of the year Germany has called into the field a fresh levy of 200,000 men. The levy includes men of forty-one and forty-two years of age. The death rate in the German armies is estimated at 1,000 a day. The loss of the French cannot be less, and a terrible mortality exists among the prisoners in the hands of the Germans.

A military writer in the London *Times*, after comparing the relative merits of the German siege guns and the artillery of the Paris forts, and allowing for the strategical positions of the various outlying positions around Paris, states that the facts fairly justify the belief that it is by starvation and not by bombardment that the city may be reduced.

The admirable system of Switzerland is shown in the promptitude with which, after the declaration of war by France, she prepared to protect her neutrality. In two days' time she had 40,000 men on her frontiers, of all arms of the service, and in one week, if necessary, she could have placed there 200,000 trained and educated soldiers. And yet Switzerland has only 2,500,000 people.

For many years Gen. Von Moltke was in the habit of dining at the Hotel de Petersburg, whenever he happened to be in Berlin. Since he has been at the front his usual place at the *table d'hote* has been scrupulously reserved. His chair is always decorated with a laurel wreath, and no one is allowed to occupy it; and his cover is always laid, just as if the General might at any moment step in to dinner.

During one of the battles around Paris the foreign legion, called "Friends of France," and composed of Spanish, Italians, Russians, Anglo-French, and Franco-American, exactly three hundred took to their heels out of three hundred and forty, when they came under the Prussian fire. English and American correspondents in Paris are patriotically trying to convince themselves that the forty who remained belonged to their respective nationalities. It is comforting to reflect, however, that of the whole batch only six or eight are Americans.

A robust young girl, wounded on the plain of St. Denis, outside of Paris, was recently brought into the hospital Incois. Amputation was adjudged necessary. "My poor child," said the surgeon, "you see what the butchering after a few French has brought you to." "A few francs," answered the patient. "I'd freely consent to part with another limb on the same terms." Pressed to explain, the girl admitted that she had been in the habit of taking copies of the *Siecle* and the *France* regularly to the Prussian outposts, for which she got three red Napoleons down in ready coin.

The number of unwounded French prisoners in Germany up to the fall of Thionville amounted to 10,067 officers and 403,842 men. Prussia, including the Federal fortresses of Mayence, has 3,011 officers and 217,808 men in fortresses, and 4,915 officers and 13,657 men in open towns. This includes the fortress of Mayence, which has 416 officers and 24,339 men. There are 227 officers and 21,224 men in the other States of the North German Bund, 1,060 officers and 60,500 men in Wurtemburg, 205 officers and 20,419 men in Bavaria, and 8,202 men in the South German fortress of Rastadt. These returns are exclusive of 15,253 officers who are residing in France or neutral States on parole.

OREGON.

Ex-Senator Nesmith has a large number of teams plowing, and will sow six or seven hundred acres of grain.

The *West Side* says O. W. Jones of Mohawk Mills came near destruction by being caught in the pully of a planer, but fortunately the belt was thrown off and his life saved.

The *Sentinel* of Jacksonville wants that little discrepancy between the statement of "Jack" Barnett and that of "Jo" Wells, in regard to "salt," cleared up. It should ask Col. Kelly.

A Chinaman was shot and instantly killed near Waldo, Josephine county, on the night of the 11th inst., by W. G. Buchanan. The circumstances are these: S. S. Hanna found some stolen goods concealed in an out house belonging to H. K. Hanna, District Attorney for this Judicial District, which, on examination, proved to be goods stolen from Isaac Thompson, a merchant residing at Waldo and doing business there. The parties who made the discovery left the goods where they found them, and Thompson, the owner of the goods, placed a watch over them during the following night, consisting of W. G. Buchanan and another gentleman whose name we did not learn. About 11:30 o'clock that night the Chinaman made his appearance and was ordered to halt, which he refused to do, and then Buchanan fired at him with a pistol, the shot taking effect and killing him instantly. A coroner's inquest was held next day and a verdict of "justifiable homicide" was rendered.

From the *Statesman*: Jefferson has become a full fledged city, and its police court is said to be now doing a most successful business. The first candidate for justice before his Honor, the Recorder, that we have heard of, was arrested on a charge of selling lager beer on Sunday. This fact was proved to the satisfaction of the court, and the aforesaid was fined the modest sum of fifty dollars and costs, and turned over to the custody of the city marshal. Now the horrid criminal and the marshal couldn't agree; the lager beer seller wouldn't pay up, nor would he go to jail, though that terrible room proved to be only a room in Jake Conser's house. What he would do was to go home, and home he went, and just to accommodate him the city marshal went home with him, and went to bed with him to keep watch over him until the violated ordinance of Jefferson should be satisfied. The next morning when the prisoner waked up, he found his faithful guardian asleep, and turning the key on him, he left him safely locked up in the arms of Morpheus, and taking the early morning train he came to Salem, and employed eminent legal counsel to aid him in his conflict with the law-makers of Jefferson. We see no help for it but that a drove of attorneys must emigrate to Jefferson to enable the city to sustain its new honors with suitable dignity.

THE TERRITORIES.

There is now but one daily paper, the Helena *Herald*, published in Montana.

Flowers and shrubs are growing beautifully in the open air at Olympia this winter.

Dr. A. H. Steele, of Olympia, has received the appointment of Examining Surgeon for the Pension Office.

In many parts of Montana there is but little snow. At Helena on the 12th inst. it was but four inches deep on a level.

GERMAN LOSSES.—The losses of the Bavarian troops in the engagement round Orleans were very heavy. It is stated that between the 1st and the 4th inst. they amounted to 127 officers and 2,858 men, and between the 5th and 10th 96 officers and 1,100 men, making together 223 officers and 4,968 men. This explains why the Bavarian Division has been ordered to rest at Orleans for the present. The Prussian lists of losses during the war, as far as they have hitherto been published, give the following results: Killed and wounded, 12 Generals, 206 staff officers, 2,691 subalterns, 900 ensigns, etc., 5,384 sergeants, sub-officers and trumpeters, three chaplains, 100 surgeons and hospital attendants, 53,541 corporals, musicians and privates; missing, one staff officer, 25 subalterns, 15 ensigns, etc., 198 sub-officers, five surgeons, etc., 6858 privates. This gives a total loss of 2,935 officers and 67,012 men for the 12 Prussian army corps, the Landwehr, and the Baden Division.

LETTER FROM WASHINGTON CITY.

WASHINGTON CITY, D. C., Jan. 9, 1871.

STRANGE FREAKS OF NATURE—TWO-HEADED GIRL, ETC.

Four of the most remarkable and wonderful human beings in the world have been on exhibition here during the past week. Their names are Miss Ann H. Swan, Madame Hallean, Martin Van Buren Bates and Miss Millie Christie.

MISS SWAN

is the famous Nova Scotian Giantess who, during the past summer, was on exhibition in Oregon and California with General Joseph Bohn, hence she requires no description from me.

MADAM HALLEAN,

the renowned American bearded lady. She was born in Wyoming county, New York, and is twenty-four years old. She has handsome whiskers which extend from her ears around below her chin. They are as black as jet and as soft as silk. They are truly handsome, and she says they commenced growing when she was at the age of 14 years, and that she has never been shaven.

CAPTAIN BATES

resembles in size and hight, very much, Mons. Joseph Bohn, but he is a much better looking man. He was born in Kentucky, 70 miles east of Lexington, and is only 23 years of age. He is upwards of eight feet high, and weighs 478 pounds. He is without doubt the largest and most symmetrically formed man that has ever appeared on this Continent. The girls say, "Oh! how handsome he is!"

MISS MILLIE CHRISSIE,

is a wonderful two-headed girl. She is now upwards of 18 years of age; was born a slave in Columbus county, North Carolina. She has a mulatto complexion, with two separate and well developed heads, two separate and distinct sets of arms and limbs, all of which blend into one body—nearly connected on the person physically, with four legs, four sets of digestive organs. She was examined on Saturday last by the Professors of the Medical College in this city and by them. They state that she has but one pulse and that the remainder of the anatomical structure of the lower part of the body is perfect and double like the other parts. She presents the strangest instance of duality of person ever known. The professional gentlemen who made the examination here, are among the most noted in the country for character and attainments, and entirely above the trick of attempting to deceive. I have seen her with my own eyes and have no doubt of the correctness of the statements.

She talks, sings sweetly, and eats and drinks with both heads. Sings one air with one head and another with the other head, or both heads can sing the same air at the same time; dances the polka and various other dances gracefully; walks with two or four legs; converses with two persons on different subjects, fluently, at the same time; is intelligent and pleasing in conversation, and has a fine, happy disposition. She has no repulsive look, but on the contrary, is a very good looking and interesting girl. She is well educated, reads fluently and writes a legible hand with both right hands. History gives no account of such a being living an hour after its birth. She is the most astonishing, remarkable and interesting freak of nature ever seen on earth, far more surprising and wonderful than the Siamese twins or the Hungarian sisters.

I send photographs of her to the Oregon State Library, the Portland Library, the Oregonian and the Oregon *Sentinel*, where those who desire can see a miniature picture of this singular being.

She sails for Europe on the 16th inst. She will visit all the important cities in Ireland, Scotland and England, and the continent, also the royal family of Great Britain, and the crowned heads of Europe.

CONGRESSIONAL—THE SOUTH.

The President sent to the Senate to-day a reply to Senator Morton's resolution making inquiries about the condition of the South, where the laws have been resisted. It is a valuable document. In Texas and Kentucky there is more lawlessness now than at any time since the war. In Alabama, North Carolina and Tennessee, the ex-rebels have the supreme control. It is believed that there is an organization like the Ku-Klux Klan recently organized to kill and murder loyal men.

OREGON MEMORIALS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Smith introduced to-day in the House the memorials and resolutions of the last Oregon Legislature. They were referred to the appropriate committees. When read they will have about as much influence as a bag of wind from the west.

IN THE SUPREME COURT

to-day the arguments were commenced in the railroad cases which involve the question of the power of counties to tax the Baltimore & Ohio railroad in West Virginia.

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL.

Akerman has returned from Georgia and was in his office this morning. He flatly contradicts the reports that he was in bad health and that he intended to resign. He was never in better health, and says he has no idea of resigning.

JOHN A. SIMMS

has been nominated by the President, on the recommendation of the Catholic Board of Missionaries, for Indian Agent at Umatilla, Oregon.

OREGON IMPROVEMENTS.

The improvement of the Wallamet and Umpqua was under consideration before the Committee on Commerce of the House to-day. Mr. Smith pressed these appropriations; but the committee came to no conclusion on the ground that the report of the survey and report of Gen. Williamson had not yet arrived. The committee will take them up again when the report arrives.

PORTLAND CUSTOM HOUSE.

The contract for the stone work of the Portland Custom House has arrived here, and Mr. Mullett has addressed a note to Senators Corbett and Williams expressing a desire to see them on the subject.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Senator Corbett introduced to-day a bill to increase the salaries of the judges of Idaho to $4,000.

Mr. Ben Holladay has arrived, and has a house on H street, No. 1414.

Mr. Williams, from the Committee on Public Lands, made a favorable report on the donation act of Oregon and Washington Territory so as to allow grants to issue to those who made bona fide settlements upon the lands claimed by the Puget Sound Agricultural Company in Washington Territory, within the time limited for settlement by the donation act.

The Senate has reconsidered the vote taken yesterday on the tax on coining of gold, and then the clause imposing the tax was repealed by a vote of 33 yeas to 26 nays.

Senator Williams was the only man in the committee who opposed the tax. B. F. I.

Will the leading Republican newspapers in the United States deny that President Grant is a fool, and a liar, and an ignoramus, and a venal, dirty demagogue?—*Chicago Times.*

Will the editor of the *Times* deny that he killed his grandmother?—*Chicago Post.*

By Overland Telegraph.

[DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

EASTERN DATES TO JANUARY 25.

Dispatches from Bordeaux.

BORDEAUX, Jan. 24.—After the battle of Dijon the Prussians retreated towards Mesigny, Norges and Savigey.

In the west the Prussians appear to be falling back.

Alencon is evacuated.

The enemy has cut the railroad between Lyons and Beaunancon.

German Defeat at Dijon.

DIJON, Jan. 24.—The defeat of the Prussians on Sunday was complete. The troops under Ricotti Garibaldi destroyed the sixty-first Prussian regiment. The French behaved heroically.

Further Language from Bismarck.

VERSAILLES, Jan. 24.—At an interview with M. Regnier to-day Bismarck said: "Gen. Bourbaki is caught between Generals Von Werder and Manteuffel, and must shortly surrender. Paris will capitulate within a day or two, when 300,000 Germans will be released to subjugate the French. I want a party to negotiate with. I can't negotiate without a nation." Regnier suggested that it would be suicidal for any party in France to make peace. Bismarck angrily closed the interview.

It is believed that negotiations for the capitulation of Paris have been opened.

From Havre.

HAVRE, Jan. 24.—It is said all the troops here are under marching orders.

Reinforcements of cavalry have arrived.

The Prussians are advancing on Honfleur.

The London Conference & Paris.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—The Conference re-assembled and adjourned one week. The session was devoted to the discussion and consideration of the treaty of Paris. The Conference is regarded as a failure.

The German Parliament is expected to reassemble in Berlin on the 9th of March.

German War News.

LILLE, Jan. 24.—The Germans have abandoned the attempt to besiege Cambria.

The French have inundated the country around Douay and Arras.

ANTWERP (Belgium) Jan. 24.—The Belgian army has been increased to [illegible] men.

The siege of Strasburg and Thionville [illegible]. A French corps d'armee are about to the Swiss frontier, and the headquarters of the Army of the South are now at Besancon.

BERNE, Jan. 24.—A semi-official declaration comes from Constantinople that hence all Turkey will rely on herself for protection and not on the interests and jealousies of Europe.

Paris Proposes to Capitulate.

LONDON, Jan. 25.—The London *Times* has the following special:

"Jules Favre is here and proposes to capitulate. The President and garrison to march out of the city with the honors of war. The terms are believed reasonable.

The attack on St. Denis and its close proximity to the ramparts [illegible] a resolution to treat for peace.

The Prussian [illegible] demands are very far from moderate.

Gambetta's Movements.

BORDEAUX, Jan. 24.—Gambetta arrived here yesterday morning. He had an interview with the French and Italian Ministers and left the same evening.

Trochu Superseded.

BERLIN, Jan. 24.—Letters from Paris by balloon state that the command in chief of the defenses of Paris has been accepted by Admiral Saisset and La Roncier le Noury, the former Governor. La Favre is succeeded by Trochu.

Dispatch from Berlin.

BERLIN, Jan. 24.—The *Hanover* says that the Liberal opposition demands an end to Paris for delaying peace.

Dispatches via London.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—The rumored attack has been commenced on Arras. An engagement of pickets is reported yesterday. The forces were visible at night and to-day are firing and bombarding. Meanwhile the bombardment continues without abatement.

LONDON, Jan. 25.—The [illegible] says if Favre refuses unconditional surrender he will not end the whole war—German terms. Bismarck has in his possession a copy of these terms by the French Emperor and Empress and will threaten to restore Napoleon.

Paris to Surrender Soon.

VERSAILLES, Jan. 25.—There is ground for believing that Paris will surrender. There is great scarcity of food and provisions in the city.

Troubles in Alsace.

COLMAR, Jan. 24.—The population of Alsace is troublesome. A large German force is required in the province to prevent an outbreak.

BY STATE TELEGRAPH.

Suicide at Eugene City.

EUGENE CITY, Jan. 26.—Charles Fox, a resident of this place, committed suicide yesterday by taking laudanum. The Coroner's inquest found a verdict in accordance with the above facts. Deceased was a native of England, and about 35 years of age.

Official Swindling.

COUNTY OFFICIALS IN JACKSON COUNTY DELIBERATELY PERPETRATE A SWINDLE IN REGARD TO STATE TAXES.

[From the Jacksonville Sentinel.]

While our taxes are high enough, it is easily to be perceived by the assessment returns this year, that they would have been much heavier, if our assessing officer had done his duty and assessed the property in the county at its real value. By defrauding the State, or, rather the people of other counties, whose property has been assessed at its real value, we have lightened our own burdens, and our county administration is relieved from the unpopularity which a heavier taxation would have thrown upon it.

By saddling our proportion of the State tax on other counties whose property has been fairly assessed at its true value, we are enabled to furnish our county government the "hobby" of economy to talk about, and compare our better condition with that of the "tax-ridden" people of other counties, who are really paying our State tax for us.

We would not have adverted to this subject here, at this time, had it not been reported to us that certain of our county officials *have boasted of this imposition and swindle on the people of other counties of the State.*

We dislike high taxes as much as any one, but we are decidedly in favor of paying our just and honest proportion to the support of the State government, and let the economy or expensiveness of the county government stand on its own bottom. And we are decidedly opposed to having the character of the people of this county for honesty and justice compromised, in order that our county managers may acquire reputations for economical and skillful management of our county interests which they have not merited.

Here are some rather extraordinary proceedings in Texas—that is, if they are to be regarded in any respect as judicial. First, a gentleman of the bar, by name Williams, shoots a State Senator. Judge and Sheriff, with a posse, go to arrest the Senator-shooter, whereupon he shoots the Judge. Finally this lively malefactor is himself shot by a constable, and the case may be considered as closed. It quite reminds one of the sanguinary *finale* of "Hamlet;" but it is altogether a matter of taste whether this method of adjudicating matters can be considered an improvement on the old-fashioned jury trials.

Seward and Thad. Stevens.

BELIEVERS IN "MANIFEST DESTINY."—HOW THEY BOTH FAVORED THE ACQUISITION OF SAN DOMINGO.

[Wash. Cor. (Jan. 8th) of the New York Herald.]

While Wm. H. Seward was Secretary of State he had a mania for annexing the entire West Indies. The spasm was strong upon him just before the close of Andy Johnson's administration. One day he jumped into his carriage and drove up to Old Thad Stevens' residence on Capitol Hill. At that time Old Thad was chairman of the House Committee on Appropriations. He, too, was a manifest destiny man. He had a great idea of extending the flag of the United States over the whole Continent. Seward knew this. It was one of the [illegible] upon which Thad [illegible] at the time Mr. Seward [illegible] all concerned. Old Thad [illegible] upon which Thad was [illegible] Mr. Seward visited [illegible] Capitol, there was a slight [illegible] between them. Old Thad [illegible] denunciations of [illegible] upon which Thad was [illegible] When Seward entered [illegible] have [illegible] of Mr. [illegible] don't care [illegible] to talk with [illegible] know we will [illegible] doctrine, [illegible] believe in it [illegible] was opposed in addition [illegible] Seward then proceeded to say that he would [illegible] down to St Domingo with a [illegible] that matter. [illegible] said Old Thad, [illegible] Thad, Seward [illegible] have you put up [illegible] $2,000,000 into the Diplomatic [illegible] Appropriation bill. Don't [illegible] necessary [illegible] through." [illegible] said Old Thad and he did. [illegible] appropriation was [illegible] on after, Senator [illegible] Porter, [illegible] the West Indies. The [illegible] with them $ [illegible] the Danish West India [illegible] as well as with the [illegible] anything. After that Belknap went to St Domingo, he took the [illegible] of $2,000,000 Seward Stevens fund [illegible] $1 dollar with which he leased the Bay of Samana. The fund is now unexhausted.

A Portrait of Mr Sumner

[illegible] is from the Milwaukee [illegible] Mr Sumner is [illegible] photographed.

[illegible] the Senate which has [illegible] the Senate for many years took place on Wednesday last, continuing through the night and [illegible] o'clock next morning. If Mr Sumner has [illegible] opposition to the administration and a supporter of the Republican party as many think and as he [illegible] the indications are important to ascertain what reasons the party has to [illegible] the cause he espouses. It is believed that [illegible] Senators believe him to be entirely in the wrong, and some of them pretty plainly intimated their belief that Mr Sumner intends to be a candidate for the Presidency against the Republican party in 1872.

History is constantly repeating itself and the most important events of to-day may be the result [illegible] causes [illegible] Mr Sumner's [illegible] from the [illegible] Committee on Foreign Relations [illegible] Mr Sumner has [illegible] from [illegible] Mr Sumner has [illegible] personal [illegible] to gratify a [illegible] favorite or a [illegible] of the king, and it is worthy of note that Mr Sumner's [illegible] from the administration has [illegible] from [illegible] Mr Sumner has [illegible] from [illegible] respect.

Mr Sumner is in many respects a great man, and has rendered great services in the [illegible] Liberty and human unity. And the fact [illegible] remarkable [illegible] is a fact that no official [illegible] has [illegible] he is the most overbearing and [illegible] man on earth. His [illegible] in the Senate is that of a superior [illegible] has temporarily descended to direct [illegible] affairs, and, therefore, has a right to expect from the associates unhesitating acquiescence and perfect submission to [illegible] Senators knowing his [illegible] and recognizing the past services in the [illegible] have [illegible] the [illegible] of the [illegible] and while [illegible] with great respect to the advice of Mr Sumner [illegible] submit to his dictation.

[illegible] Major Excommunicated.

[illegible] controversy [illegible] through the [illegible] of the Major Raonan [illegible] Roman Catholic Church. [illegible] Monitor attacked the [illegible] with some asperity because the [illegible] published a certain document that has recently been going the rounds of the press; whereat the *Union* thus retorts:

The *Monitor* says: "

The Daily Oregonian.

FRIDAY MORNING, JANUARY 27 1871

The Commission on Penitentiary Accounts

Quite a commotion exists just now at the State Capital It is all along of that Penitentiary Commission It appears that this Commission has been cutting down some of the State warrants pretty extensively, and this has alarmed many of the most excellent and reliable Democrats in the State The proceedings of the Commission have developed the fact that most of the warrants are held by our Democratic brethren, who have been speculating in and shaving them to a remarkable extent and now they want them paid at their face! They demand all that is nominated in the bond and propose to try whether they cannot make the Treasurer plank down the cash

In order that our Democratic brethren may get at the matter so as to obtain their cash without further delay, it is proposed, as we learn, to make application to the Judge of the Third Judicial District for a writ of *mandamus*, ordering the Treasurer to pay these warrants in full, as they may be presented In this proceeding a question will be raised as to the constitutionality of the Commission that is auditing and scaling these accounts. It is asserted that the Commission as at present constituted, is an illegal body. The Legislature had no right to create new offices and fill them with its own members, The Constitution expressly prohibits this, and it is claimed that this case falls within the prohibition Steps are being [illegible] to obtain a judicial decision on this [illegible]on and it is believed that the Commission and all its works will be swept away [illegible] dings demanded by the Demo[illegible], who want their money [illegible] contend for it.

The [illegible] question which just now is agitating the public mind at the Capital of the [illegible] independence is felt on the part of our [illegible] of citizens who have bought up at [illegible] warrants on the penitentiary fund, [illegible] were sure of abolishing this Commission that is trying to abolish their claims [illegible] wait now for the next act in the play. It [illegible] and who hold the majority [illegible] out it is good sound Democ[illegible] who are threatened with most loss [illegible] agency of the Commission The [illegible] of this fact puts a new face the affair and, to the Democratic mind [illegible] the appointment of the Commission a [illegible] mistake It was believed that the [illegible] would catch these warrants in [illegible] Reds," and the discovery of [illegible] causing quite a commotion We hope [illegible] Commission will go on with the [illegible] process We can stand it if our [illegible] friends, the Democratic scrip holders

An Excellent Work.

We have heretofore adverted to the energetic work which Col Harmon, of Washington Territory is doing in the matter of bringing immigration to this region When he was [illegible] counted to vernor he gave a promise that he would bring three hundred families to Washington Territory and Oregon He has already brought more than its number His efforts have been successful beyond those of any other man who has attempted to induce immigration into this section of country those which he has induced to come are instrumental in attracting others and numbers are continually arriving He is now going East to organize a still greater movement it seems that it is his purpose to bring out one thousand families during the present year and we are not permitted to doubt that he will accomplish what he intends

His influence lies with the German and Scandinavian classes who are among the most industrious, frugal and useful of all citizens These are the very people we need. Their arrival here in such numbers will give powerful impetus to the industry and development of the country they are Solomon in building into our midst an intelligent, law-abiding working class, and we need only a few in order to bring about a complete transformation in all our activities and industries, and put a new face on everything around us

It is true that the work which Gov Salomon is engaged in belongs to Washington Territory rather than to our State, but we know that many persons whom he has induced to come out to the Pacific coast have settled in Oregon, and many more will do so. The wave of immigration, advancing further, will spread in all directions and he is to be congratulated on his success thus far as well as on the energy and persevering in the same direction which promises still greater results as the Governor of Washington Territory have a right to.

The Senate has passed a bill to abolish the Coinage tax at the mint and branches Senator Williams made a strong argument for the abolition of the tax He showed that the merchants and bankers of Europe were buying up in the markets of this country large quantities of bullion and shipping it to Europe for the purpose of making money by the transaction and not to meet the legitimate wants of the trade, and attributed this in great part to the existence of a coinage charge here He insisted we should endeavor as far as possible, by our legislation, to convert the production of our own mines into coin, and put it into the circulation of the country He argued that the theory that the mint should be self-sustaining was not the true one, and showed that it never was the theory of the Government until the year 1853 Prior to that time coinage in the United States was free. His speech was a very forcible one and did much to influence the final action of the Senate upon the bill

In a recent decision the Supreme Court of California held the Fifteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States to be unconstitutional and void, "for the reason that it was not within the scope of the powers covering amendments, and because it had not been adopted in the manner prescribed by the Constitution" Is there any limit whatever to the folly of our Bourbon Democracy? California will do well not to proceed too far on the nullification theory announced by her Supreme Court. The fate of South Carolina is too fresh to admit of any excuse for forgetting it.

We understand that the Bonds authorized by the last Legislature for the construction of locks at Oregon City, are being privately signed in this city by the State officers from time to time, as they happen to call down, Why this secrecy? Honest transactions are generally performed openly and at the proper offices This extreme caution and secrecy on the part of our State officials requires explanation. Evil deeds are always done in the dark

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN]

Capitulation of Longwy

London Jan 26—Longwy has capitulated 4,000 prisoners and 200 guns taken.

London, Jan 25—Beust made a speech of Favre's reported visit to Versailles

The *Echo* says No official confirmation here of negotiations for the capitulation of Paris

Rumors in the Stock Exchange about Paris affect consols

The Garibaldians have routed a detachment of Landwehr and destroyed the railroad at Fonteux and Burgundy

Negotiations for the Surrender of Paris

New York, Jan 26—Nothing additional to London telegraph from Versailles that there is ground for belief that Paris will surrender to day has been received

As already telegraphed, Bismarck announced at Versailles that Bourbaki had been caught between the armies of Von Werder and Manteuffel, and must surrender. At the same time and in the same interview Bismarck declared that Paris must capitulate in a few days He also stated as confirmatory of this view of the situation that negotiations for the capitulation had already been opened The dispatch which announces this proceeds from a correspondent who has persistently denied German claims of success, and may therefore be considered entitled to belief

A dispatch from Bordeaux admits the German railway to Lyons, south of Besancon, Bourbaki's supposed position, can only be construed to confirm the statements of the Prussian Premier

Denmark Affairs.

Copenhagen, Jan 23—The Chamber discussed the budget

The leader of the Agricultural party favored the reduction of the army and said the danger of the small States would soon disappear The War Minister believed the condition of the European war dangerous to the small States, how ever peaceable they might be, but they were liable to the chances of war, and must defend their independence

London, Jan 21—The Conference has adjourned on account of the absence of the French Minister. Granville confers with the French Charge d'Affairs before and after each meeting

Bismarck made Chancellor.

Berlin, Jan. 25.—Bismarck is made Chancellor of the Empire.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Congressional.

Washington, Jan 26—In the House, Hooper presented a communication from Gen. Pleasanton, Commissioner of Internal Revenue, relating to income tax, which was received by the Committee on Ways and Means.

A rumor is current here that Judge Otto, Assistant Secretary of the Interior, is soon to be removed. The position has been tendered to a Pennsylvania man Senators Scott and Cameron are pressing the name of Gen. D R S Novin.

The statement telegraphed in regard to the reopening of the *Alabama* claims, attracts a great deal of attention, from the fact that steps had previously been taken by Thornton and Fish which was considered secret, and hence its publication created alarm among persons having knowledge of it. Sumner says the report that he told Fish that if the treaty was negotiated on the "proper" it would be rejected by the Senate, is unfounded. He says he has not expressed hostility to any treaty which might be negotiated by the Administration on the question He does not however deny the fact that the *Alabama* claims question is in process of settlement at the present time, but whether the treaty is negotiated on the basis proposed can't be predicted yet, but it is certain the terms now under consideration include the abandonment of certain positions heretofore taken by the United States, and, if reports are correct, the most important question is the recognition of the belligerency of the Confederation by Great Britain, and there is another question, that the United States shall make no claims for vessels destroyed by rebel privateers other than the *Alabama*, meaning the *Florida*, *Shenandoah*, *Georgia* and *Sumpter*.

In regard to the action of the President in directing the Secretary of war to suspend the sale of ordnance and munitions of war in order to conciliate the Germans, it is stated that Baron Von Gerolt called on the Secretary of War at the time the proposition was made to dispose of a large number of arms, and asked that no sale should be made till the Prussian Government could make a proposition to purchase the whole lot offered. The Secretary of War in reply said that the Government would not, under any circumstances, sell to foreign governments. The right to dispose of arms to its own citizens had not been disputed, any more than the right of private companies to fulfill contracts, and that the sale of arms should go on as before the war.

The House Committee on Public Lands and Territories have appointed a sub committee with a view to reconcile the difference between the two committees in relation to the bill to establish Indian Territorial Governments.

CALIFORNIA.

From San Francisco.

San Francisco, Jan 26.—Jno. E Johnson, a furniture dealer at No 135 Fifth street, left home yesterday, and was found dead in Hamilton Square, in the western portion of the city. He had deep incisions in the arms from which he had bled to death. He had evidently attempted to stop the flow of blood as he grew weaker, but failed. A letter, directed to Jno. McComb, avowed his intention to commit suicide, declaring that nothing but an unconquerable inclination to commit suicide, the result of insanity, with which he had been afflicted for six months, was the cause. He leaves a widow and three children.

Hereafter the California Steam Navigation Company's steamers will carry freight from San Francisco to Red Bluffs for $12, and to Tehama for $9 per ton

The fog has not lifted for twenty four hours, and is almost like a rain

At Lee, who broke the skull and stabbed a fellow Chinaman on Dupont street, last night, so badly that he died on the way to the hospital, was arrested this afternoon. He once killed a man in the northern part of the State, and served a term in the State Prison

A brewery on 637 Broadway street, was seized by the Revenue officers, to-day, for an alleged fraud on the Revenue laws

Last night a colored man by the name of Porter, a member of one of the African churches, caught the pastor of his church in suspicious proximity, as he affirms, to his wife Porter and his wife have separated, and a divorce suit with its attendant scandal will follow

This evening Captain Silverthorn, of the San Francisco police department, addressed his watch, stating that the report of a beastly affair, said to have occurred on the Sacramento boat a few nights since, and in which he was said to have been implicated, had gained such currency that he was compelled to take some action in the matter. He solemnly declared that he was innocent of the charge, but said that the circumstances of the case were of that character that he could not in honor make an explanation, and he was, therefore, compelled to resign He then bid good bye to the force and left He was so affected that he could hardly speak, and nearly every man on his watch was in tears Few of his acquaintances credit the worst details of the case The woman who is mixed up in the scandal is the wife of a clerk in the City Hall, who knows of the reports, but she continues to live with her husband as if nothing of the kind had been reported

Several cases of blackmailing, or downright robbery, of Chinese merchants, by parties connected with the Internal Revenue Department, by which sums of $300 and upwards have been realized, have recently been reported In one case they got $500 of a merchant on the pretense that they were going to seize his place on a charge of being engaged in a distillery, and in another case they obtained $320 on the threat to make a seizure for smuggling opium The last case is being investigated, and Police Officer McLaughlin charged with being present and accessory to the fraud, has been before the Police Commissioners to day

The Woman's Suffrage Convention adjourned to day, without having apparently greatly furthered the cause At the session about forty persons, of various genders, were in attendance

San Francisco, Jan. 26.—The match between Dion and Deery this evening, French carom, Dion to make 800 to Deery's 500, push and crotch barred, $1,000 a side, called a very large audience The little betting indicates all in favor of Dion winning Deery won the first shot, but neither scored on the 1st or 2d inning On the 3th inning Deary scored 15, Dion followed with a run of 42, and Deery with 7 Dion very cool, Deery quite nervous and irritable It will be after midnight when the game is decided

The U S Grand Jury reported thirty six indictments to day and adjourned

NEVADA.

Virginia, Jan 26—The residence of Mrs Woods, below Gold Hill, was entered this morning while she was absent, and $34 in coin, a gold breast pin and other valuables were stolen

M Coleman, sentenced March 4th last to two years imprisonment and Chas Smith, sent from Storey county for twenty one years for killing Mickey Free in 1864 were pardoned to day by the Board of State Prison Commissioners

Eagle Creek and its Prospects

[From the Baker City Democrat]

For some time past we have heard it rumored that the construction of a large ditch in what is known as the Eagle Creek country was contemplated We are now able to state that the waters of Eagle Creek have been secured, and that C M. Foster, U S Surveyor of mining lands in Eastern Oregon has run trial lines and staked out over sixteen miles of the main line of the ditch It will be about twenty-two miles in length, and is intended to have a capacity large enough with the aid of reservoirs to run and sell three thousand inches of water in the Shaughai Rooster and Powder river slope mining districts Work on the ditch will be commenced as early as April—if the weather permits, in March next Mr George Carter is now looking for a good site on which to put the flume lumber, and intends to be ready for operations by the first of April—the amount of lumber being about three hundred thousand feet It is the intention of those engaged in the enterprise to have the ditch completed and conveying water between the first of August and September The principal part of the work on the ditch will be let to two Chinamen, one of Baker City and the other of Auburn, who will put on between two and three hundred Chinamen and finish the ditch with ease by the time the flumes can be built The projectors of the work we are assured have perfected the financial arrangements and will safely carry the enterprise through to completion

Messrs Bowen & Cranston, of this place, are going over to select a place for a store, which will probably form the nucleus of a town in that section of the country They will take a No 1 selected stock, full and complete in every department required in a new mining country. Both having had large experience as pioneer merchants of Auburn, Idaho and Clark s Creek, they are certainly well qualified for such an undertaking They design being ready for trade, in the new location by or before the first of next April

C M Foster has surveyed a number of Mineral land claims in that country, under the United States Mineral Land Act—the size of them being all the way from ten to eighty acres, Quite a number of claims, from ten to forty acres, having been located by some of our pioneer miners from Auburn—among them are Geo Slocum, D. Moore, C E Smith, and Judge White

The Eagle Creek country, through portions of which this ditch will be constructed, is known to be very rich in auriferous deposits, it is also extensive In gulch, creek, flat, and hill are paying gold mines, and all now wanted is a good supply of water. When that is secured, the Eagle Creek country will be second to none for mining purposes, and it will be equal to any camp in Oregon.

It is well known here who are the projectors of this enterprise, but as Portland and Eastern parties desire an interest, the matter of incorporation will be postponed, but the work will be prosecuted without delay at the time specified.

The Eagle Creek enterprise and mines are in Union county, and are destined to add largely to the wealth and population of that county. Union and Baker are the richest counties in Oregon in mineral resources.

It is said that Col. Kelly will leave for Washington by next steamer to draw the first installment of his six years' salary. It is not supposed that he can accomplish anything else at the National Capital during his term. There is need, however, for him to be prompt about this, as it is understood that his salary is very heavily mortgaged to pay the expenses of the election. The bill for maintaining the "imports" in Yamhill county to vote for Newby, Shuck and Townsend, and also for "salt" for honest "Jack" Burnett and honest "Jo" Wells, of Jackson county, is not yet liquidated.

From British Columbia papers we learn that the Legislature of that colony has unanimously accepted the terms of union, and passed an address to the Queen praying that British Columbia may be admitted into the Dominion of Canada, in accordance with the provisions of the British North America Act, 1867. It only remains for the Dominion Parliament to pass a similar address and for the Queen to issue an order in Council, and the whole thing will be complete. The *Colonist* says there is every reason to believe that the 1st of July next, Dominion day, has been selected for the final ceremony.

If, as is claimed at Salem, the Penitentiary Commission is an illegal body, some one should apply to the Court for an order for bidding the State Treasurer to pay for their so-called services A considerable sum of money might be saved to the State by this means

Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

San Francisco, Jan 26.—Flour—City millers have advanced to $7 for Oregon extra, and California jobbing as follows Superfine, $5 75@6, extra, $6 75@7

Wheat—Inactive but firm at $2 30@2 37½—latter price said to have been paid in Stockton.

Oats—Quiet at $1 40@1 70

Potatoes—Humboldt, $1 75.

Shipping Intelligence.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

San Francisco, Jan 25—Arrived—*Emerald*, Aimball, Port Gamble, sc comer *Vanderbilt*, Coos Bay; steamer *California*, San Diego and way ports

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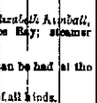

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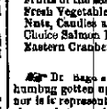

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POSTPONED.

SAILING OF THE N P T CO'S STEAMSHIP

IDAHO,

Has been postponed until

SATURDAY, JANUARY 28, 1871.

At 3 o clock, P M

GEO W WEIDLER, Agent

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WASHINGTON DIVISION,

Portland Oregon Jan 24 1871

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DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR the District of Oregon—In the matter of Charles A Silverman, Bankrupt District of Oregon, ss—A warrant in Bankruptcy has been issued by said court against the estate of Charles A Silverman, in the county of Multnomah and State of Oregon, to said District, in having been duly adjudged a Bankrupt upon petition of his creditors; and the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said Bankrupt, to him or to his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law

A meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt to prove their debts and chose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held at the Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at Portland, in said District, on the 13th day of February A D 1871, at 10 o'clock A M, at the office of W Lair Hill, one of the Registers in Bankruptcy of said District.

THOMAS G YOUNG,
U S Marshal, as Messenger.

By John Dolan, Deputy. ja27d3w2t

U S MARSHAL'S NOTICE—UNITED STATES of America District of Oregon—By virtue of an order issued out of the office of the Assessor of Internal Revenue for the District of Oregon and to me directed, commanding me to sell the property seized by Wilson Bowlby, Collector of Internal Revenue for said District, on the 29th day of November 1870, at Corvallis, Oregon belonging to Joseph Hunt, as in such cases provided under the 48 Sec. of the Act of the 13th of July, 1866 to-wit. One large wooden tank of beer containing about 200 gallons; three large empty wooden tanks; one small empty wooden tank with pump five hogsheads of beer containing 100 gallons each, two hogsheads of beer containing 60 gallons each three barrels of beer containing 40 gallons each, sixteen kegs of beer containing 10 gallons each, eight kegs of beer containing 5 gallons each, two empty casks, capacity 40 gallons; one empty cask capacity 100 gallons; twenty four empty kegs capacity 5 gallons each, two empty kegs capacity 15 gallons each, fifteen empty kegs, capacity 10 gallons each one malt mill and one horse power one force pump and hose one malt dryer; one metal cooler one copper brew kettle, capacity 200 gallons one malt scoop, iron; one malt scoop, wood one pump, not to use two earthen jars one sprinkler; one funnel, two ladles; one thermometer, one tin gallon measure, two wrenches; two branding irons; one burning iron; one iron rake; two hundred beer bungs; one salve; one Fairbank's scales I hereby give notice that at 10 o clock A M of Saturday, the 26th day of January A D 1871, at the town of Corvallis, in the county of Benton in said district, I will proceed to sell the said one large tank of beer, &c, at public auction to the highest bidder therfor. Terms of sale cash in U S currency in hand

THOMAS G. YOUNG,
U S Marshal for Oregon.

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Sigel Mayer	M Goldsmith,	W T Shanahan
Geo L Story,	L H Wakefield,	A J Welling,
Donald Macleay	L J Bullard	Al Ziebar
Geo T Myers	Phil Wasserman,	Dan Holton,
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Cosmopolitan Hotel, Jan 23 1871

MESSRS GOLDSMITH, DEADY RUSSELL FERRY and others—Gentlemen, Your communication of Jan 9 last, tendering us a Complimentary Benefit is received, and we would designate Friday evening at the Philharmonic Hall With many thanks for your favor

We remain very truly Your Ob't Serv ts

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A COURSE OF SIX LECTURES

FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE

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MR GEO P RILEY, Portland	Feb'y 7
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REV D. B. NESBIT Corvallis	Feb'y 21
COL B S PARDEE Olympia	Feb'y 28.
REV P S KNIGHT, Salem	March 7

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The First Lecture of the Course will be delivered by the REV THOS CONDON, of The Dalles, on

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At 7½ o clock

Subject—"A Description of Three Stone Heads, The Country from which They Came and The Times in which They Lived."

The Science of Geology is assuming so much importance in its relations to historical questions, especially to the Creation and the Race of Man that every one should know something of its principles and keep pace with its results

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AT THE LAST MEETING OF THE DIRECTORS of the Library Association the Librarian was directed to give notice that at the next annual meeting to-wit Saturday Feb 4th, a proposition would be made to amend the Constitution so as to make three Directors constitute a quorum By order of the

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The Daily Oregonian.

FRIDAY MORNING, JANUARY 27, 1871

CITY.

ILLEGAL HELD TO ANSWER.—The examination of Thos Glennon for the stabbing of his brother, Ed Glennon was concluded yesterday, and the Judge held him to answer in the sum of $1 000, before the next Grand Jury He gave bail, Messrs. Thos Stephens, I A Davenport, and C P Ferry being his sureties The evidence of Ed Glennon was taken at his room, under the oath, but not committed to writing It was, in substance, that he went to his brother's house, and while there they had a difficulty, in which hard words were used, and a scuffle ensued, during which a chair was broken that after it was over his brother Thomas went out into another room, and when he came back he thought he saw something in his hand He did not know what it was. He did not know when he was cut the first information he had of it was feeling the blood coming down his abdomen He asked his brother if he had cut him, and then he saw that his brother had a dirk knife in his hand, partly hid in his sleeve

The sworn statement of Thomas Glennon was taken at the court room, and was reduced to writing, as follows

My name is Thomas Glennon; my age is about 30 years I was born in Ireland I reside in Portland, Oregon, I have resided here 13 years last August My occupation is a saloon keeper On the day of the occurrence about 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at my home, I intended to take my little boy Edward to my place of business, the boy asked me to let him go and see his uncle, I told him he might, but to use no wine nor stay long. My hour of dinner is 2 o'clock, the boy did not returned I wanted to go home, I went out after the boy at my brother's saloon, I inquired for the boy of the barkeeper he said he had gone down town In searching for him, I found that my brother had taken the boy to my home. I then went home to dinner I found my brother and boy here my wife and Mrs Gilbert were there also My wife being sick I commenced cooking dinner in setting the table, I could not appear where my wife was sitting, and placed the knife box on the table My brother came playing with the boy my wife told the boy to go with his mother then my brother told the boy to go with the wagon he did as I told him My brother then came home when I served some dinner, when my boy went to say here my wife and Mrs Gilbert were there also My wife being sick I commenced cooking dinner in setting the table, I could not appear where my wife was sitting, and placed the knife box on the table My brother came playing with the boy my wife told the boy to go with his mother then

STEAM WAGONS.—Steam engines for propelling wagons on common roads have been exercising the brains of both European and American inventors for a long time past. The Europeans seem to have made the greatest advancement toward that great desideratum. A trial of one was made in England lately given which appeared to satisfaction. The engine had an upright boiler enabling it to climb hills without endangering the safety of the boiler by leaving the front end dry. It drew up a hill (grade one foot in nine) two carriages with forty-five passengers, ran down again and made several turns at right angles. [The account leaves one in doubt whether these latter turns were made with the carriages attached.] The trial was concluded by darting over a wet grass field in every direction, making sudden turns and reversals of action, and then rushing over a straight measured mile in seven minutes. The machine has low wheels, and the engines are of easily-reversible compound order. To offset this European invention, here is another from a citizen of Chicago, tried near that city a few days past. The principles on which this one is constructed are mainly as follows: The application of power directly to two balance wheels, and, after these have acquired a high rate of speed to the drivers. This has the same effect as putting a draught team to their full speed on the level ere ascending an incline—force is stored away in the balance wheels. The engine is provided with two sets of drivers, a small and a large. When heavy loads are to be drawn the smaller are lowered to the ground for use while the larger are elevated. The larger come into action if speed is required. By certain connections the power can be applied to threshing machines, &c. The locomotive moves rapidly and guides "easily as a well-trained horse."

RAILROADS YEARS AGO.—The following, in reply to a letter concerning railroads, was written by Chancellor Livingston, who had been associated with his brother-in-law, Robert Fulton, in the application of steam to navigation:

"ALBANY, March 1, 1817.

"SIR: I did not till yesterday receive [illegible] of February; where it has [illegible]oad, I am at a loss to say. I [illegible] very ingenious pro[illegible]on as to the railway communica[illegible]ons. I fear, however, on mature reflection, they will be liable to serious objection, and [illegible]ely more expensive than a canal. They must be double so as to prevent the danger of two such heavy bodies meeting. The walls on which they are placed must be at least four feet below the surface and three feet above, and must be cramped with [illegible] and [illegible] would hardly sustain so heavy a weight as you propose moving at the rate of four miles an hour in wheels. As to w[illegible] would not have a week. They must be [illegible]ed with iron and that in very large [illegible] strong. The means of stopping these carriages without a great shock, and preventing them from running in a [illegible] for there would be many running on the road at once—would be very different. In cases of accidental stops or necessary stops to take wood and water the many accidents would happen. The carriage of condensing water would be very inconvenient. Upon the whole I fear the expense would be much greater than that of canals, without being so convenient. R. R. LIVINGSTON."

W. A. C. D.—Regular meetings of Morrison Grove No [illegible] on Thursday evening of each week at [illegible] Hall, in Dekum's Hall, Front street, near Stark. Members of Siskiyou Grove and adjourning Brethren are cordially invited to attend. W. S. UTTER, N. A.
Dekum, Grove, R. S. [illegible]

Multnomah Lodge No. 35, I. O. O. F., [illegible] every Friday evening at [illegible] Odd Fellows Temple, corner First and Alder Streets. Members of the order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.

Samaritan Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F., [illegible] every Thursday evening at [illegible] Odd Fellows Temple, corner First and Alder Streets. Members of the order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.

Eureka Lodge No. 3, I. O. O. F., holds regular Councils every Monday evening at the Engine House, corner Washington and Front streets. By order of THE SACHEM.

Portland M. A. C. No. 3.—Regular communication this evening, Thursday evening of each month, at Temple Hall, No. 14 North Front street. By order of M. E.

A. R.—Webfoot Post No. 1, meetings on First and Third Saturday evenings in each month at Nosgaard Hall, corner First and Madison streets. All comrades in good standing are cordially invited to attend. By order of POST COMMANDER.

Multnomah Lodge No. 13, I. O. G. T.—Holds its regular meetings at 8 o'clock on Saturday evenings of each week. All members are requested to attend. By order of W. C. T.

MASON AND CONSERVE.

Sunday, Thursday, Jan. 26, 1871.

Gold at New York, 110¾.

Legal tenders, at Portland, 90¾@ buying, and 91c selling.

Exchange on San Francisco—coin, ¼ of 1 per cent. discount; currency, ¼ per cent.

Exchange on New York, 1¼ per cent.; telegraph transfers, 1½ per cent.

U. S. 5-20 bonds quotable at 108½@111 for 1862 and 1864.

Rates of interest unchanged, at 12@1¾ per cent.

Oregon Bounty and Relief bonds, 85@87½; State warrants, steady.

A favorable element of our circulation is now [illegible] we give the following table showing the relative [illegible] currency dollar to coin, at the different rates of premium, from one hundred to one hundred and twenty-five. The fractions given are as near as can be represented, without the use of parts of mills, and for all practical purposes will be found sufficiently accurate:

Prem.	Cur.	Prem.	Cur.	Prem.	Cur.
1	99	41	109	81	119
2	98	42	109	82	119
3	97	43	110	83	119
4	96	44	110	84	120
5	95	45	110	85	120
6	94	46	111	86	120
7	93	47	111	87	121
8	92	48	111	88	121
9	91	49	112	89	121
10	90	50	112	90	122
11	90	51	112	91	122
12	89	52	112	92	122
13	88	53	113	93	123
14	88	54	113	94	123
15	87	55	113	95	123
16	86	56	114	96	124
17	86	57	114	97	124
18	85	58	114	98	124
19	84	59	115	99	125
20	84	60	115	100	125
21	83	61	115	101	126
22	83	62	116	102	126
23	82	63	116	103	127
24	82	64	116	104	127
25	81	65	117	105	128
26	81	66	117	106	128
27	80	67	117	107	129
28	80	68	118	108	129
29	79	69	118	109	130
30	79	70	118	110	130
31	78	71	119	111	131
32	78	72	119	112	131
33	77	73	119	113	132
34	77	74	120	114	132
35	76	75	120	115	133
36	76	76	120	116	133
37	75	77	121	117	134
38	75	78	121	118	134
39	74	79	121	119	135
40	74	80	122	120	135

The money market is [illegible] easy, interior bills being [illegible] with commendable promptitude, and the supply of coin being [illegible] for general business purposes.

The general trade of the city is fair for the season, not much business being expected during this month. Prices throughout remain with so little change from last week's report as to call for no remark.

Produce, with the exception of wheat and oats, is still dull and inactive. Wheat and oats are quotable as last week, but firm. There is not much doing, however, as farmers have got their views entirely above the ability of shippers, and it is becoming a question whether the vessels now here and to arrive, can be loaded.

Provisions are generally weak at our quotations. Bacon, especially of all kinds, is dull and drooping.

We take from the S. F. *Commercial Herald's* annual review of the markets, the following tabular statement of the ruling prices of flour for each month of 1870, which may be useful for future reference:

	Bake's Extra	*Superfine.*
January	$5 00@5 50	$4 25@4 50
February	5 00@5 50	4 25@4 50
March	5 00@5 50	4 25@4 50
April	5 00@5 50	4 25@4 50
May	5 00@5 00	4 25@4 75
June	5 75@6 25	5 00@5 50
July	6 00@6 50	5 25@5 50
August	5 50@6 25	4 75@5 25
September	5 50@6 00	4 50@4 75
October	5 75@6 25	4 75@5 50
November	6 00@6 50	5 00@5 50
December	6 00@6 50	5 00@5 50

From the same source, we obtain the statement that the entire shipment of apples from Oregon to California, for 1870, was 36,550 boxes against 65,800 for 1869.

In 1867, Oregon shipped to San Francisco, 37,760 bbls flour; in 1868, 11,037; in 1869, 135,440 bbls, and in 1870, 140,958 bbls, of which account was taken in the produce statements at the latter city.

Domestic Produce Buying Prices.

GRAIN—WHEAT—Good shipping, with sks $1 20 ₱ bushel; OATS—$1 75 ₱ 100 lbs. BARLEY—$1 25@1 50 ₱ 100 lbs.

FEED—Bran, $22 50 ₱ ton; Middlings, $27 50 ₱ ton; Shorts, $27 50 ₱ ton.

HAY—From wagon, $10 00@11 00 ₱ ton; baled, ₱ ton, $13 00.

POTATOES—Oregon, ₱ bushel, 80c.

ONIONS—Oregon, ₱ bushel $1 00@1 25. California, per 100 lbs., $3 00.

PROVISIONS—BACON—Sides, 14 cents; hams, 15@16c; Shoulders, 9@10c. BUTTER—Solid, 35 cts.; brine, 40. BEANS—White, Pea, 3½@4c; Red, 2½c; Pink, 3½c; Small White, 3½c; Bayos, 4c; Butter, 4c. LARD—Oregon, 10 lb cans, 12½@13c; in bulk, 12½ cts. MESS BEEF—₱ bbl, $18 00. MESS PORK—₱ bbl, $22 00. CHEESE—Oregon, 14@18c; California, 15@18c; Eastern, 20c. EGGS—30@33c ₱ doz. HOMINY—₱ lb, 6@6½c.

Wholesale and Jobbing Markets.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS—Seasonable Goods—Gang Plows—Mason, $160; Pfiel, $76; Eureka, $75; Skinner's, $80 to $90; Sattley, $80 to $85 and $90; Guy's Sulkey, $85. Seed Drills—Buckeye, 9 hole, $120; 10 hole ditto $125; Easterly, $75. Cultivators—$12 to $16. Walking Plows—Pearl's, $13, $16, $17; $18; Moline, $15 50 to $18; Boston Clipper, $13, $14 to $16; Cast Steel, $20, firm. Fan Mills—$40 to $47 50. Cider Mills—Hutchinson, $27 50; Buckeye, two kinds, from $32 50 to $90.

BROOMS—Bolter's, Oregon, No. 1, $5 50 ₱ doz.; No. 2, $4 50 ₱ doz.; No. 3, $3 50 ₱ doz.; California make, —Palmer & Gillespie's, No. 1, $5 50; No. 2, $4 50; No. 3, $3 50. Other makes—No. 1, $5 50; No. 2, $4 50; No. 3, $3 50.

BAGS AND BAGGING—Burlap bags, 22@30, 13½c each; do, 21x40, 13c; Dundee gunnies, 10½c; linen bagging, per yd, 11½c; burlap, per yd, 11½c.

BUILDING MATERIALS.—New Jersey Cement, ₱ bbl., $5 00; Knapp's, $4 50@5 00; Santa Cruz Lime, ₱ bbl., $2 50; San Juan do., $2 00; Chloine Plaster, $5 00; Sand, $3 50. Lumber—Assorted rough dr, $14 @16; dressed, $22@30; flooring, $26@30; laths, $3 per M; cedar shingles, $3 50; redwood boards, dressed, $47 50@60. Eastern hardware, 17@20c per foot.

CANDLES—Grant's, 19½; Emory's, 17@18c; Kelly's, 16; Star, 16½@17; Ward's, 16c; Herkness', 22; Macy's 17@18c; Schmidt's, 17@18c; Odell, 16c.

COFFEE—Rio, 21½c; Costa Rica, 23½ cents; Java, 27@28. Jones' Prepared Java, 28@30; Chartres, 24@25. COAL—English Cannel, $23 ₱ ton; blacksmiths $25; Cumberland, $30.

DRUGS—Alum, bbls 6c; borax, Eastern, 37½@40 cents; blue vitriol, 13c; potash, Gants, 1 lb can per doz $2 25; Rosin, per bbl, $8@12; saltpetre, kegs, 16@25c; sulphur 8@11.

DRY GOODS.—Standard drills, 15½@16½; seconds, 13½; *Stockings*—Light, 12½; medium, 18@14; Standard, 14x15. Cotton lining, 8½@10; Bleached sheeting, 8-4, 7½@9; do, 7-8, 10½@12½; do, 4-4, 13½@ 20. Cotton checks, 15@22; linen checks, 25@27. Cambrics, 10c@12½. Cotton flannel, bleached, 15@22; do brown, 14@20. Cottonades, light, 25@30; do, heavy, 37½@50. Denim, 18@25. Hickory stripes, 18@22. Shirting—Pittsburg, Peterb, 11c; ancona, 9c. Delaines, 18 @20. Tweeds, 25@37½. Ticks, 7-8, 16½@22; do, 4-4, 25@ 35. Bear duck, 25. Table linen, damask, brown, 37½@ 62½; do, damask bleached, 50@87½. Diaper linen, 37½@50. Seamless sacks, 37½@40. Alpaca, black, 37½@75. Waterproof, 25@31 25. Cras, 11@14@15.

FRUITS, SAUCES, ETC.—Dried Apples—6 cts per pound. Grapes—California, per box, $2 00@ 2 50; Raisins, new fresh layers, in boxes, $5 00; in half boxes, $5 25; in qr boxes, $5 50; Currants, ₱ lb, 17c; Canned peaches, 4@4½; Assorted pie fruits, $4 25; Honey, in tins, $4 50. Green Corn, in cans, $3 25; Lobsters, in tins, $3 50@3 75; Oysters, Fields's, $3 50; Mcllhenny's, $4 50; other brands, $3 75@4 00; Tomato Catsup, pints, $1 75; in qts, $2 25; Caper sauce, $3 75@4 00. HARDWARE AND IRON—Iron Axles, 9½@10½; Carriage do., $12@22; Axe Handles, $4 00@4 75; Pick do $ do., $3 00@4 00; Bar Lead, 12½; San Francisco, $8; Cut Cross-cut Saws, ₱ ft, 35@60 cts.; Mill do. ₱ ft. $1 50@1 75; Anvils, Armitage, 15; Sledges, cast steel, 8@10 lbs., 6c; 5@6 lbs., 6½c; New Haven tramp, $3 00@ 3 25; do tailors', 45c; Cable Chain, 9 to 14; Thimble Skeins, 9c, 9@12 00; Scale Beams, 6½ ₱ C.; Under Scales, Fairbanks', $13@13 50; Grocers' do., $12 50. Iron—Round bar iron, ¾ to 2 inch, 4½c; small bar, 6½@10 Norway shoe shape, 7½; American do., 7; nail rod, 10. Horse Nails—Bobbin (hand made), 11@20; Putnam (pressed), 24@38; Griffin (pressed), 20@33.

MATERIALS—Iron—Scotch and English pig per ton, non; sheet, 14 to 20, 7½c; sheet, 24 to 27, 9c; Oregon pig, $44 00 at works. Copper—Sheathing per pound, 40c; do, yellow, 40c; do, bronze, 50; do, old, 35c. Tin Plate—Plates, charcoal, IX, per box, $14 50; plates, IO, charcoal, $13; roofing plates, $12 50; Banca tin slabs, ₱ lb, 48c. Steel—English cast steel, ₱ lb, 18c. Lead—Pig, ₱ lb, 9c; sheet, 14c; pipe, 13c; bar, 12. Zinc—Sheets, ₱ lb, 14c. Rubber Metal, 30@35c. Quicksilver, 75c cash.

OILS—Kerosene Oil—Davee's, 70@75c; Pratt's, 65@70c; Harris's, 60c; Salmon, 55@70. Standard, 65@70; Downer's, $1 70; Chips Nut Oil, $1 30@1 35; Polar Oil, 90c; Tanner's Oil, 75@80 Neatsfoot Oil, $1 05; Sperm Oil, $3 10; Castor Oil, $2 75; Linseed Oil, $1 20; raw and boiled, 1 c. over; 100 lb Turpentine, 70c.

POWDER AND FUSE—1½ agents' rates.

RICE—Eastern, firm.

RICE—China No. 1, 10@10½; Patna, 10@10¼c; Hawaiian, 9c; Batavia, none.

SALMON—Canned, spiced, 2 lb cans ₱ doz $3 50; 4 lb cans, $10 ₱ doz.; No. 3, $3 50 ₱ doz.; No. 2, $2 50; 2 lb cans, $ 75; half lb cans, $3 00. Pickled, 30@32½; do. coarse, $27 50; Germer Island, $25 ₱ barrel; Fresh, $22 50; Dairy $30@ 35; San Quentin and Sammie Lagoon $20.

SALERATUS—Bartlett's, 4@5 ₱ lb; Babbitt's, 11c.

SOAP—Oregon brands, 7@7½cts. Colgate, 11½; Castile, 13c. Other brands, 7@8½c; Detersive, $1 75.

STARCH—Bartlett's, 11c; Barton's 8½@9c; salt soda, 4½ cts; sweet soda, 4½ cts; hearth soda, in kegs, 9c.

SPICES—Cloves, 50c; Cassia, 62½@70c; Nutmegs, $1 25@ 1 50; Mace, $1 40@1 50; Pepper, grain, 30 cts; Mustard, $1 50@1 75; French Mustard, $3 50@3 75; Pepper, ground, $1 50@1 75; do Cayenne, $1 75; Allspice, ground, $1 50@1 75; do grain, 50c; Ginger, ground, $1 50@1 75.

STARCH—Glenfield, 10½@9c; corn, 15@17; Duryeas, in 1 lb. pearl, 12½; Oswego, Kingsford, 10½@12½; Silver Lake, 12½@c.

SUGARS—Sand, Island, 9@11½c; San Francisco, Tallow Co., 11½; Golden C., 9¾ bbls, 10½c; Powdered, 10½@10½; Crushed, in bbls, 10½; in half bbls, 11c.

SYRUPS—Extra heavy Golden, bbls., 85@87½; ½ bbls 90@92½; kegs, 95@97½.

TOBACCO—Navy, ₱ lb 75@80cts; Light Pressed, 90@ 100; Atlantic Cable, 85@97½.

TEAS—Young Hyson, 41@1 50; Gunpowder and Imperial, $1 25; black, 85@1 00; Japan, in papers, 72½@ 75c.

WOOD AND WILLOW WARE (per nest)—Pails, painted, $3 50@3 50; do Cedar, $4 50@5 00. Tubs, painted, $4 00@4 50; do cedar, $5 50.

WOOLEN GOODS—Oregon manufacture—*Blankets* grey, No. 1, 9 00; No. 2, $6 00; No. 3, do, $4 50; do, white, No. 1, extra, $12 00; No. 1 $8 50; do, No. 2, $7 00; No. 2, blue, $7 75; No. 2, green, $7 75; Vicunna, No. 1, $11 00; No. 2, $8 00; 3-4 White flannel, $1 10@$1 25; 4-4 White do. 75c; 3-4 White do. 40@45c; Plain assorted colors, flannel, 40@45c; Fancy Twilled shirting do, 50@55c; Grey Mixed Shirting @50@55; Hand tirmen, 60c; Gray Doeskin, $1 00; Fancy do. $1 10; Drab Mixed Beaver, 97½c; Fancy Cassimeres $1 00@$1 ¼; Tweeds, 75@85c; Yarns, $1@1 20.

Weekly Retail Family Market.

Corrected for the Week.

Oranges ₱ doz	1 00	Bacon, breakfast ₱ lb	18
Limes per doz.	50c	Clear side	16@18
Lemons ₱ doz.	$1 00	Shoulders, country cut	10@12
Cocoanuts	25@30	" Butcher's and packer's	
Sugar—Crushed ₱ lb	18	" Butcher's and packer's sug'r cured	12½@15
Pulverized "	18	Chicken, Cal. ₱ doz	20
Golden C. "	16½	Cheese, Oregon	20@23
Granulated "	18	Hardtimes	25
Extra C "	18	Eggs fresh ₱ doz	30@33
Y ellow Ref. "	16½	Honey ₱ lb	25@30
Islands	10c@12½	Lard, choice, ₱ lb	15c@16
Syrups in kegs ₱ gal	95c@1 00	10 lb leaf in tins	16
" per gal	1 25	Butter—	
Tea—Fine Hyson	$1 50@1 75	Choice fresh roll	55@60
Eng. Breakfast	$1 00@1 50	Good "	40@50
Imperial	$1 50	Ordinary	25@30
Old "	$1 00@1 25	Common, ₱ lb	20@22
Gun Powder	$1 75	Flour—₱ sack	
Japan	90c@$1 00	Imperial	1 75
Black	75@1 25	Standard	1 75
PROVISIONS.		Vaughn's	1 62
Hams, country cut	18	McLeran's	1 62
" Butcher's "	20@22	Salem, XXX	1 62
" Butcher's and Packers (Hog' Cured)	20@22	City Mills	1 62
Crow	23	Other brands	1 37½@1 50
		COUNTRY, GAME, &c.	
		Turkeys each	$1 25@2 50
		Chickens, doz	4 00@4 50
		" spring	$3 50@4 00
		Puget Sound Cod	12½
		Salt Salmon ₱ lb	6
		VEGETABLES.	
		Beets ₱ lb	2
		Carrots, ₱ lb	2
		Onions ₱ lb	3
		Turnips per lb's	2
		Potatoes, ₱ bush 60c@1 00	
		Cabbage, ₱ doz	2 00
		Sweet potatoes	none
		Parsnips ₱ lb	3c
		Celery, ₱ doz bds	1 50
		Cauliflower	none.

Cattle and Live Stock Market.

CATTLE—Beef cattle, 3@7 ₱ cwt net.

SHEEP—Good mutton sheep, 7@8 25 ₱ head.

HOGS—On foot 4@4½; dressed 6@6½ cents per pound.

VEAL CALVES—Spring, 6@7c ₱ lb.

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Portland, Feb. 2, 1867. dtf

CITY ADVERTISEMENTS.

Ordinance No. 916.

AN ORDINANCE FIXING THE SALARY OF THE City Attorney.

The city of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. That the City Attorney of the city of Portland shall receive a salary of One Hundred and Fifty Dollars per month from the first day of November, 1870, to the first day of July, 1871, to be paid at such times as is now fixed for the payment of his salary.

Passed the Common Council December 28, 1870.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved Dec. 30, 1870.

J. B. CONGLE,
President of the Common Council and Acting Mayor.

Ja2385t

Ordinance No. 917.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE of grounds for a Public Park.

The city of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. That the Honor, the Mayor, be and is hereby authorized and directed to purchase for Public Park purposes, on the part of the city of Portland, from Amos N. King, a certain tract of land containing forty acres, and bounded on the north by the Barnes road, on the south by the Canyon road and A. N. King's south boundary claim line and on the east by the lands now owned by the Messrs. Green.

Section 2. That the price to be paid for said tract of land shall not exceed the sum of $50 per acre.

Passed the Common Council January 4, 1871.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved Jan. 5, 1871.

J. B. CONGLE,
President of the Common Council and Acting Mayor.

Ja2385t

Taylor Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASSESSment made by Ordinance No 913, for the improvement of Taylor street between First and Seventh streets in the manner provided by Ordinance No. 504, on each of the following described lots and parcels of land fronting and abutting upon said street, as well as those liable for a proportionate share of improving the intersections of said street with streets running at right angles therewith, within the line of the improvement, is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer in U. S. coin, and unless paid within fifteen days from the date of this notice, the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection of the same.

Block.	Lot.	Owner.	Assessment.
52	1	J. Donovan	$ 11 60
	7	Geo Wright	15 48
	8	Jacob Cline	30 79
61	5	D. B. Horford	13 43
	6	L. Fleischner	10 76
60	3, E 70 ft	4 M. O'C. Murphy	104 22
	W 30 ft	4 M. McQuade	43 84
			$230 06

By order of the Common Council.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Jan. 17, 1871. ja17d10t

South Front Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMON Council of the City of Portland propose to construct a sewer of plank across South Front street at its intersection with Lincoln street, the expense thereof to be assessed upon the property benefitted thereby.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Jan. 21, 1870. ja21d10t

Commission.

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I will be pleased to correspond with those who are engaged or desire to engage in obtaining such claims and also other claims against the United States. I will send them all necessary forms and instructions, and keep them advised of all laws and decisions relating to claims, and my fees on such claims will be but one-half the fees charged claimants.

I refer to Members of Congress, Officers of the Government and others who have resided in Oregon or Washington during the last twenty years.

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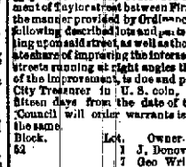

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Portland, Nov. 3, 1870. WELLS, FARGO & CO. n14tf

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OREGON & CALIFORNIA RAILROAD COMPANY.

SALEM, OREGON, October 22, 1870.

THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT IS MADE FOR information of all concerned:

First Congress has granted to the Company all alternate sections of the public lands designated by odd numbers within a distance of thirty miles on each side of the railroad, excepting lands to which a pre-emption or homestead claim has attached prior to the withdrawal by Government of the lands co-terminous with the first division of twenty miles from Portland to Salem, as fixed, at 12 M. February 16, 1870. The second division of located line from Jefferson to a point six miles south of Roseburg, May, 1870, and from the last named point to the California line, 1870.

Second—Persons who have valid pre-emption or homestead claims to any tract or any odd numbered section can purchase the same from the Railroad Company at the Government price of $1 25 per acre in greenbacks, and upon very favorable terms, if they so desire, by filing an abandonment of their claim in the U. S. Land Office, blanks for which will be furnished by the Land Agent of the Company. Such purchaser from the Company has these advantages over a purchaser from the Government. The party can leave the land if necessary, re-sell the land or mortgage it, he is saved the payment of lawyers' or agents' fees and expenses of witnesses to go to the Land Office to "prove up" his claim, he can get his title perfect in less time, and he can buy on credit at a low rate of interest.

Third—No sales will be made by the Company until the land is listed over to it by the United States Land Commissioner and Secretary of the Interior.

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I. R. MOORES,
522tf&w Land Agent O. & C. R. R. Co., Salem.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE U. S. FOR THE DISTRICT of Oregon.—Whereas, information has been filed in the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon, on the 6th day of January, 1871, on behalf of the United States for the District aforesaid, against one large wooden tank of Beer containing about 200 gallons; three large empty wooden tanks; one small empty wooden tank with pump; two hogsheads of Beer containing 100 gallons each; two hogsheads of Beer containing 60 gallons each; three barrels of Beer containing 40 gallons each; sixteen kegs of Beer containing 10 gallons each; eight kegs of Beer containing 6 gallons each; two empty casks, capacity 40 gallons; one empty cask, capacity 100 gallons; twenty-four empty kegs, capacity 10 gallons each; one malt mill, and one horse power; one force pump and hose; one malt dryer; one mettle cooler; one copper brew kettle, capacity 200 gallons; one malt scoop iron; one malt scoop wood; one pump not in use; two earthen jars; one sprinkler; one funnel; two ladles; one steam heater; one thermometer; two wrenches; one grinding iron; one burning iron; one iron rake; two hundred beer bungs; one screw; one Fairbank's scales, which by Wilson Bowlby, Esq., Collector of Internal Revenue for the District of Oregon, on the 29th day of November, 1870, at Corvallis, in said District of Oregon, was seized as forfeited to the use of the said United States, for the reasons and causes in said information mentioned, and praying the usual process and monition of the said Court in that behalf to be made, and that all persons interested in the said one large wooden tank of Beer, &c., may be cited in general and special, to answer the premises and all due proceedings being had that the said property aforesaid may be condemned, for the causes in the said information mentioned, be condemned as forfeited to the use of the said United States. Now, therefore, in pursuance of the Warrant under the seal of said Court, to me directed and delivered, I do hereby give public notice to all persons claiming the said above mentioned goods or any part thereof, or in any manner interested therein, that they be and appear at the next said District Court to be held at the city of Portland, in the county of Multnomah, in said District of Oregon, on the 6th day of March next at 10 o'cl